

# Interview Summary

Application No.

03/999,287

Applicant(s)

Paul et al

Examiner

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Art Unit

2164

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) MR. SAWSTEN (Applicants Attys)

(2) MR. MILLER (SPE 2164)

(4)

Date of Interview 3/15/02

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☐ Personal [copy is given to 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No. If yes, brief description:

Claim(s) discussed: new claims 21-37

Identification of prior art discussed:

newly DISCOVERED ART (1) NAT WEST & (2) FREIGHT  
FORWARDED

BOTH REFERENCES FAXED TO ATN AND ARE ATTACHED

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

① Applicant will PROVIDE AFFIDAVITS TO  
ANTIDATE REFERENCES

② IF AFFIDAVITS ARE NOT SUFFICIENT A REJECTION WITH  
NEW ART WILL BE MADE

③ Applicant states that these REFERENCES ARE  
SILENT WITH RESPECT TO COMMERCIAL INVOICES  
as well as agreed to generate commercial INVOICES IN INTERNATIONAL TRANSACTIONS.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

i) ☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview (if box is checked).

Unless the paragraph above has been checked, THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

[Signature] (SPE 2164)  
Examiner's signature, if required